

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket Number 12003.027

As an inventor named below, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one inventor is named below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought in the specification entitled

LONG-DISTANCE CASTING SPOOL FOR FISHING REELS

the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked: [X] was filed on 22 June 2005 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number PCT/DE2005/001115 and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge my duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in title 37 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119(a) – (d) or §365 (b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application, having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s):

			Priority Claimed	
			Yes	No
<u>10 2004 054 033.0</u>	<u>Germany</u>	<u>05/11/2004</u>		
(Number)	(Country)	(Date/Month/Year Filed)		
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(Number)	(Country)	(Date/Month/Year Filed)		

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

_____	_____
(Application Number)	(Filing Date)
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(Application Number)	(Filing Date)

(Status – patented, pending, abandoned)

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following practitioners as attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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